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November 5, 2003

Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Memorandum of Amended and Restated Schedule #1 to Per Diem Agreement, dated as of September 15, 2003, a primary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Lessor:

Midwest Railcar Corporation

3 Professional Park Drive, Suite B

Maryville, Illinois 62062

Lessee:

Mississippi Railroad Co. 1318 S. Johanson Road Peoria, Illinois 62062

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

15 boxcars: GNWR 98000 - GNWR 98011 and GNWR 98019 - GNWR 98021.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index is:

Memorandum of Amended and Restated Schedule #1 to Per Diem Agreement.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$30.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Alvord

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## MIDWEST RAILCAR CORPORATION

## MEMORANDUM OF AMENDED AND RESTATED SCHEDULE #1 TO PER DIEM RENT AGREEMENT

between

MIDWEST RAILCAR CORPORATION,

as Lessor

and

MISSISSIPPI RAILROAD CO.

as Lessee

## MEMORANDUM OF AMENDED AND RESTATED SCHEDULE #1 TO PER DIEM RENT AGREEMENT

THIS MEMORANDUM OF AMENDED AND RESTATED SCHEDULE #1 TO PER DIEM RENT AGREEMENT is effective as of September 15, 2003, by and between MIDWEST RAILCAR CORPORATION, an Illinois Corporation ("Lessor"), and MISSISSIPPI RAILROAD CO., a Mississippi Corporation ("Lessee"), with reference to the following:

- Lessor has agreed to lease to Lessee, and Lessee has agreed to lease from Lessor, certain railcars
  as described on <u>Exhibit A</u> attached hereto and made a part hereof, all as more particularly
  described in that certain Amended and Restated Schedule #1 dated September 15, 2003 between
  Lessor and Lessee to the Per Diem Rent Agreement dated as of September 15, 2003 between
  Lessor and Lessee (the "Lease").
- 2. The Lease shall be effective as of the execution date thereof and the term of the Lease with respect to each car shall be as set forth in the Amended and Restated Schedule #1.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed or caused this Memorandum of Amended and Restated Schedule #1 to Per Diem Rent Agreement to be executed as of the date first above written.

MIDWEST RAILCAR CORPORATION Lessor

By: 1 Richard M. Murphy President & CEO

MISSISSIPPI CENTRAL RAILROAD CO.

Name: Title:

By:

| STATE OF Minnes ota , CITY OF EIK RIVEY , TO WIT:  |
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| On this 27 day of October, 2003 before me appeared, Richard M. Murphy to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, says that he is the President of MIDWEST RAILCAR CORPORATION, an Illinois Corporation, that said instrument was signed on October 27, 2003 on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed are accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the foregoing instrument was the first accorded to the composition of the composition of the composition of the foregoing instrument was the composition of the composition of the composition of the c |
| My commission expires: 1-31-06   |
| STATE OF THOSE , CITY OF PEONIC , TO WIT:  |
| On this day of October, 2003 before me appeared, Goyl. Brenkman, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, says that he is a <u>President</u> , of MISSISSIPPI CENTRAL RAILROAD CO., a Mississippi Corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on October 22, 2003 on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.   |
| OFFICIAL SEAL SCOTT L. ISONHART NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 5-14-2007 Notary Public   |

My commission expires:



## **DESCRIPTION OF RAILCARS**

Fifteen (15) 60' 100-ton Used Boxcars with the following reporting following marks:

GNWR 98000 – 98011, inclusive and GNWR 98019 – 98021, inclusive

STATE OF MARYLAND CITY OF BALTIMORE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the attached Memorandum of Amended and Restated Schedule #1 to Per Diem Rent Agreement is a true and complete copy of said Memorandum of Amended and Restated Schedule #1 to Per Diem Rent Agreement.

Morothy & Hangton, Notary Public

WITNESS my hand and seal this 4th day of November, 2003.

My Commission Expires 11/15/2005 NOTARY PUBLIC ANNE ARUNDEL CO., MD DOROTHY J. HAMPTON

My Commission Expires 130Nns